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SUBJECT: ASTRONAUT VISIT

1. CONFIRMING ASTRONAUT VISIT. TRAVELING US AIR FORCE T-EO
WITHOUT WIVES. EL-BAZ TRAVELING WITH WIFE COMMERCIAL AIRLINES.
REQUEST POSTS MEET BOTH PLANES.

2. ASTRONAUT ITINERARY; ARRIVING CAIRO ABOUT 1800 FEB. 5
(TIME WILL BE CONFIRMED ASAP), DEPARTURE CAIRO 12 NOON FEB.8;
ARRIVE JIDDA 1400; DEPART JIDDA 0900 FEB. 9; ARRIVE RIYADH 1030,
FEB. 9,DEPART RIYADH 1115 FEB. 11; ARRIVE ABU DHABI 1305
FEB. 11, DEPART ABU DHABI 0945 FEB. 13; ARRIVE DOHA 1036FEB. 13;
DEPART DOHA 1600 FEB. 15: ARRIVE KUWAIT 1650
FEB.15: DEPART KUWAIT 0800 FEB. 17; ARIVE TEL AVIV
1050 FEB. 17; DEPART TEL AVIV 1400 FEB. 18; ARRIVE NAPLES
1950 FEB. 18; DEPART NAPLES 0800 FEB. 19; ARRIVE ALGIERS
0950, FEB. 19,; DEPART MORNING, FEB. 21.

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3 EL-BAZ (ACCOMPANIED BY WIFE) ITINERARY: ARRIVE CAIRO 1230
FEB. 5 TWA 840; LEAVE 1125 FEB.
8; ARRIVE JIDDA 1420 FEB. 8, SAUDI AIRLINES 748; LEAVE
0915 FEB. 9; ARRIVE RIYADH 1035 FEB. 9 SAUDI AIRLINES 978,
LEAVE 0720 FEB. 11; ARRIVE ABU DHABI 1315 FEB. 11 GULF AIRLINES
740 LEAVE 1100 FEB. 13; ARRIVE DOHA 1045, FEB. 13 GULF
AIRLINES 332, TEAVE 0745 FEB. 16 GULF AIRLINES 330 (PLANE
CHANGE BAHRAIN); ARRIVE KUWAIT 1050 FEB. 16 KUWAIT AIRLINES
621. EL-BAZ AND WIFE ENDING TOUR AFTER KUWAIT PROGRAM,
LEAVING KUWAIT FOR LONDON 1545 FEB. 18.

4. ADDITIONAL DETAILS FOLLOW SEPTTEL.

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